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## “FISHING INDICATOR DEVICE”

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## **PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Entry of this amendment prior to examination of the application is respectfully requested. Please amend the application as follows.

**Amendments to the specification begins on page 2.**